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| F   | PATENT APPLICATION  |  | First Inventor Fred C. Porter  |                     |                           |   |  |
|   | TRANSMITTAL   |  | TRANSFER CASE FOR HYBRID VEHICLE   |                     |                           |   |  |
| (Only for I   | new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))  | E:   | xpress Mail Lab  | el No.              | EL741092907US             |   |  |
| See MPEP  | APPLICATION ELEMENTS chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.  |  | ADDRE  | SS T                | O: Commission P.O. Box 14 | atent Application<br>her for Patents<br>50<br>VA 22313-1450 |  |
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| ·   | or a computer program listing appendix  Background of the Invention   |  |  | ACCOM               | IPANYING APPL             | ICATIONS PARTS  |  |
| <ul> <li>Background of the Invention</li> <li>Brief Summary of the Invention</li> <li>Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)</li> <li>Detailed Description</li> <li>Claim(s)</li> <li>Abstract of the Disclosure</li> </ul>   |   |  | 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 10. 37 C.F.R.§3.73(b) Statement Power of (when there is an assignee) Attorney   |                     |                           |   |  |
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|   | plication Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76   |  | 17. 🔲 O  | ther:               |                           |   |  |
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| Effective 01/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision. | First Named Inventor | Fred C. Porter   |  |  |
|   | Examiner Name        | Ha D. Ho         |  |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27             | Group / Art Unit     | 3681             |  |  |

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| l i   | 375 Utility filing fee                                 | 750   |                | 2401        | 160  | Notice of Appeal   |          |
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|   | 260 Plant filing fee                                   | 1403  | 3 280          | 2403        | 140  | Request for oral hearing   |          |
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| l l   |  | 145   |                | 2452        | 55   | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
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|   | _Claims below  | Paid 1503   |                | 2503        | 315  | Plant issue fee  |          |
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| 1202 18 2202  | 9 Claims in excess of 20                               | 1810  | 0 750          | 2810        | 375  | For each additional invention to be  |          |
| 1201 84 2201  | 42 Independent claims in ex                            |   |                |             |  | examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))   |          |
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